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But I just want my colleagues to be aware that it could work the opposite way in your particular part of the state. With that, again, I'll say again that I am going to support the bill at least till the second round of debate. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Stuhr.

SENATOR STUHR: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members of the body. I'm just rising in support again of Senator Coordsen's bill, and I do thank him for all of his work, and I really have appreciated the debate and the discussion on this bill. Again, I feel, if not now, when? And I think we have discussed this, that this has been an issue that's been around for a long time. I'm concerned we, in the Legislature, continually look at ways, economic development, ways that we can help rural America, rural Nebraska, ways that we can help our ag producers, and I say that this is certainly one way. I think all of us know that, particularly those of us involved in agriculture, that the last couple of years have not been easy times. We have been experiencing the low commodity prices and coupled with our ongoing property taxes. We continually see people leaving the farm. I believe statistics just came out, we lost 1,000 farms this last year in Nebraska. As I stated previously, what I am seeing is our young people leaving the farm, and I'm very, very concerned about that. I feel that farmers are paying a disproportionate share of property taxes relevant to the benefits that they receive. And I think that this is a big concern. We constantly talk about the low commodity prices. We talk about the subsidies that farmers receive. As I stated before, in this country we have said we're going to have a cheap food policy, and we have a cheap food policy. Farmers receive subsidies so that people in America, including those in Nebraska, can enjoy food at a low cost, and I think sometimes we often forget that...about that. Again, I feel maybe this is not a perfect bill right now, but with all the discussion that we've had, I, too, am supportive of moving this on, seeing what...if there are some other things that we can do to make the bill a better bill. So, again, I thank Senator Coordsen for his work and hope that you will support the movement of this bill. Thank you.